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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| <u>In Re Application of</u>                               | : | December 11, 2006   |
| <u>K. Fukada, et al</u>                                   | : | Group Art No. 2178  |
| <u>Serial No. 10/068,425</u>                              | : | Examiner: Kyle Stork  |
| <u>Filed: February 7, 2002</u>                            | : | IBM Corporation<br>Anne Vachon Dougherty<br>3173 Cedar Road<br>Yorktown Hts, N.Y. 10598 |
| <u>Title: DISPLAY APPARATUS AND<br/>LAYOUT PROCESSING</u> |   |   |

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

PLEASE ENTER.  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 14, 2006, Applicants submit a Petition for Extension of Time, the requisite extension fee and the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2;

**Remarks/Arguments** which begin on page 15.